(iii) Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture (1998-99) Twelfth Lok Sabha on Demands for Grants (1998-99) in their 8th Report.

(iv) Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture (1998-99) Twelfth Lok Sabha on Demands for Grants (1999-2000) in their 19th Report.

(v) Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture (1999-2000) Thirteenth Lok Sabha on Demands for Grants (2000-2001) in their 7th Report.

(c) With regard to financial requirement, the IX Plan Working Group of Planning Commission had recommended 1% of Agricultural GDP to DARE/ICAR which was at that time equivalent to Rs.7800 crore and Rs.500 crore as one time catch up grant. However, due to the financial constraints, the Planning Commission could allocate Rs.3376.95 crore including Rs.400 crore as one time catch up grant. The Department is consistently pursuing the matter with the Planning Commission to get the total allocated IX Plan Funds.

New job opportunities

*393. SHRI V.V. RAGHAVAN:
SHRI J.CHITHARANJAN:

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new job opportunities provided during the years 1998, 1999 and 2000, giving break-up for Government services, organised industries, small scale industries and unorganised sector; and

(b) how many of them are permanent, casual and contract labour?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (DR. SATYA NARAYAN JATIYA): (a) and (b) Estimates of employment in Government

Sector (both Central and State), organised industry (other than those in Central and State Government), and Small-Scale Industries during the year 1997, 1998 and 1999 are as follows:

(in lakhs)

Sl.No.	Sector	1997	1998	1999
1.	Government**	107.80	107.11	107.71
2.	Organised Sector (includes central and state public sector undertakings, local bodies and organised private sector)	174.65	174.55	173.42
3.	Small Scale Industry*	167.20	171.58	177.30

* Some of the Small-scale industries are included in the organised sector.

** Employment in Indian Mission abroad, defence personnel and Para military forces without any fixed location are not included.

Reliable annual estimates of employment in the unorganised sector are not available. The estimates are obtained from the Labour Force Surveys carried out by the National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO) on quinquennial basis. The key results of 1999-2000 indicates that the employment in the unorganised sector which was of the order of 304.6 million during 1993-94 has gone up to around 342 million during 1999-2000. The total work force (both in organised and unorganised sector) is of the order of 370 million which includes permanent, casual and contract labour. The individual break up between these three categories is not maintained.

Transfer of CSS Officers

*394. SHRI BRATIN SENGUPTA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have transferred a number of CSS Officers at the level of Under Secretary who have completed a fixed tenure as prescribed by Government;